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•	Ford 6  factory at WURZEN. This factory was built by the Americans prior to World War II and was not damaged during the war. It produces 12-ton Ford Trucks. This	
	factory makes major repairs and was much utilized by the 9th Tank Division. The factory makes engines and spare parts, a good portion of which are sent to the USSR as reparations. There is a great need for these parts, as the greater part of the vehicles in the Soviet forces are American. For example 87 vehicles, only three of which were of Soviet manufacture.  These were ZIS-5 three-ton trucks. The others were the Ford-6's Chevrolets, 3/4-ton Dodges, Studebakers and Willys.	50X1-HUM
	The only new equipment received was some new radio	
	equipment Other than that, there have been no new additions, no new guns, no sights, no vehicles.	50X1-HUI
	Training exercises are conducted until they are successfully completed. However, they are under rigid restrictions as to the amount of ammunition to be expended.	
	The life of the T-34, and the Josef Stalin-3, tanks  onded  effected, engines will be replaced, but the tank as such remains. All repairs and replacements are made on the Berman economy.  are ever brought in from the Soviet Union.	
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